



## **BEARFACTS 1990 – 2000**

### **Scotland , North Carolina [37165]**

Scotland is one of 100 counties in North Carolina. It is part of the Laurinburg, NC Micropolitan SA. Its 2000 population of 36,010 ranked 60th in the state.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2000 Scotland had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$20,547. This PCPI ranked 81st in the state and was 76 percent of the state average, \$27,067, and 69 percent of the national average, \$29,847. The 2000 PCPI reflected an increase of 1.8 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 state change was 5.9 percent and the national change was 6.8 percent. In 1990 the PCPI of Scotland was \$13,000 and ranked 82nd in the state. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.7 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.6 percent and for the nation was 4.4 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2000 Scotland had a total personal income (TPI) of \$739,896\*. This TPI ranked 65th in the state and accounted for 0.3 percent of the state total. In 1990 the TPI of Scotland was \$440,229\* and ranked 62nd in the state. The 2000 TPI reflected an increase of 2.0 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 state change was 7.6 percent and the national change was 8.0 percent. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of TPI was 5.3 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 6.6 percent and for the nation was 5.6 percent.

#### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Scotland. In 2000 net earnings accounted for 62.4 percent of TPI (compared with 67.3 in 1990); dividends, interest, and rent were 13.6 percent (compared with 15.1 in 1990); and personal current transfer receipts were 24.0 percent (compared with 17.5 in 1990). From 1999 to 2000 net earnings increased 0.7 percent; dividends, interest, and rent decreased 2.6 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 8.8 percent. From 1990 to 2000 net earnings increased on average 4.5 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 4.2 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 8.7 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in Scotland decreased from \$610,891\* in 1999 to \$608,501\* in 2000, a decrease of 0.4 percent. The 1999-2000 state change was 7.4 percent and the national change was 8.0 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1990 estimate of \$386,032\* to the 2000 estimate was 4.7 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 6.5 percent and for the nation was 5.8 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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